GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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NEW CIVIL AVIATION POLICY
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have set up a five member panel to formulate a New National Civil Aviation Policy;

(b) if so, whether the panel has submitted its report;

(c) if so, the details thereof alongwith the date by when it is likely to be implemented;

(d) whether the present Civil Aviation Policy has failed to develop the civil aviation sector;

(e) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(f) the steps taken by the Government for the development of civil aviation sector?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY)

(a) Government has constituted a five-member Committee on 21st July,2003 to prepare a roadmap for the civil aviation sector that will provide the basis for a New National Civil Aviation Policy.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

(f) The policy of Government is to facilitate creation ofan efficient and competitive civil aviation sector in which viable and sustainable air transport services and aviation infrastructure is developed in accordance with the highest standards of service, safety and security. In this process, apart from providing connectivity, synergies with trade, commerce and tourism are established, economic growth is achieved and employment opportunities are created.